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February 17, 2015

TO: Each Supervisor

FROM: Cynthia A. Harding, M.P.H.
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SUBJECT: **NOTIFICATION OF THE USE OF DELEGATED AUTHORITY TO
AMEND SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER SERVICES CONTRACT
NUMBER PH-002280 WITH PRINCIPLES, INC.**

This is to notify you that I am exercising the delegated authority approved by your Board on June 4, 2014, to execute amendments to Substance Use Disorder Services Contracts that provide an increase or decrease in funding up to 10 percent above or below each term's annual base maximum obligation, effective upon amendment execution or at the beginning of the applicable contract term, subject to review and approval by County Counsel, and notification to your Board and the Chief Executive Office.

Under this authority, I will execute an amendment to Contract Number PH-002280 with Principles, Inc. to increase the annual funding by \$50,000, increasing the annual obligation from \$3,826,284 to \$3,876,284 for the current funding term of July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015, and the total maximum obligation from \$10,529,078 to \$10,579,078; offset with Assembly Bill 109 (AB 109) Realignment funds. These funds will support additional AB 109 treatment services (Residential Treatment, Outpatient Counseling/Outpatient Drug Free Counseling, and/or Alcohol and Drug Free Living Center).

County Counsel has reviewed and approved the amendment as to use and this delegated authority action.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please let me know.

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c: Interim Chief Executive Officer
County Counsel
Acting Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors